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Some forty year's ago this body saw fit too constitute the, Permanent Commission on the Status of Women. Now we see that the pcsw is not what we would come to expectation. Political decision's in attempt to save money is about to sacrifice women again. We see that we are about to be merged with the commission on mixed, african, european, asian and latino american women. The only thing these groups have in common is the small regards that society has for them. Gender discrimination is not like other forms of discrimination. They are two quite different beasts. To combine groups would diminish the value which each deserve. It's not a bad idea, however an insult to women. Have women come this far only to step back, I think not. Women we must continue to move forward for our equal rights.

In closing the PCSW has a huge impact on me founder of, Mixed Chicks Sorority a professional in Public Relations and Women's Studies. As a sisterhood we believe the mission of Permanent Commission on the Status of Women should sustain.